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Attorney Docket No. 47089-00040

First Inventor Jeffrey L. Allen

Title Tournament Network For Linking Amusement Games

Express Mail Label No. EL 722104806 US, filed February 26, 2002

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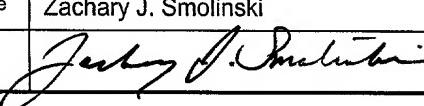
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				122	130	122	130	Plant issue fee	
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